



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of : Peter R. Baum et al.

Attorney Docket No.: 3101-A

Serial No.: 09/972,268

Group Art Unit: 1644

Filed: October 5, 2001

Examiner: Maher M. Haddad

For: NECTIN POLYPEPTIDES

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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A. Amendment Transmittal

Transmitted herewith is an amendment responsive to the Office Action mailed December 31, 2002, and a petition for extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) in the above-identified application.

 1. No additional claim fee is required as shown below.

 X 2. The claim fee has been calculated as shown below.

COMPUTATION OF FEE FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid for		Present Extra		Rate		Additional Fee
Total Claims	53	-	53	=	0	x	\$18	=	\$ --0
Independent	6	-	5	=	0	x	\$84	=	\$ --84.00

Total Additional Fee
For this Amendment \$ --84.00

 X 3. Charge \$ 84.00 to Deposit Account No. 09-0089.

B. Additional Fee Charges or Credit for Overpayment

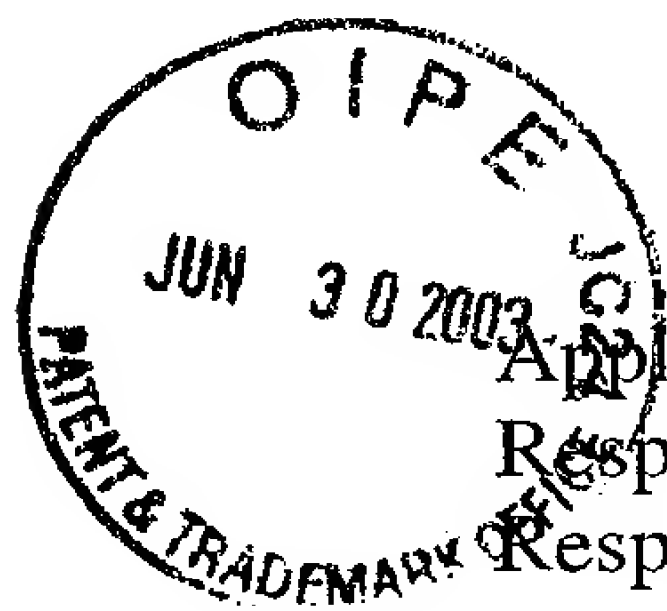
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16, 1.17 and 1.18 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 09-0089. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action dated 31 December 2002 (Paper 12, the "Office Action"), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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